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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Inventor: Hiroyuki Oka et al For: BRAKE APPARATUS 13 []] The Applicant claims Small Entity Status. Enclosed are: [X] __17 _ sheets of drawings ([X] formal [] informal). 115 pages of specification. [X] Declaration. [4] Information disclosure statement and ___ reference(s). & 1 Preliminary amendment. Assignment to BOSCH BRAKING SYSTEMS CO., LTD. & DENSO CORPORATION. [3] Charge \$40 to my Deposit Account No. 11-0219 for recording Assignment. [4] Inventor's information sheet. , (3 CLAIMS FILED Number filed Number Extra Rate Basic Fee \$710.00 FOR Total Claims __23 (over 20) __03__ x \$18 \$54.00 Independent Claims 01 (over 3) x \$80 [X] Multiple dependent claim \$270 \$270.00 [] Reduce by 50% for small entity

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Japanese Patent Applications

No. 2000-120685 filed on April 21, 2000;

No. 2000-209772 filed on July 11, 2000; and No. 2000-317888 filed on October 18, 2000.

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